

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph [0005] beginning on page 2, at line 2, has been amended as follows:

[0005] ~~Please referring now~~ Referring to FIG. 1 and FIG. 2, cables 82, 92 are fixed between the top of the vehicle and a flannelette layer to avoid being exposed outside. The cable 82, which is connected to a power source of the vehicle, is connected to the cable 92, which is connected to a rearview mirror, by a connector assembly. The connector assembly comprises a male connector 8 and a female connector 9 mated with each other. The female connector 9 has a latch 91 extending therefrom. When the male connector 8 and female connector 9 are mated together, a hook in front of the latch 91 will be received in a corresponding portion of the male connector 8 for securing two matched connectors 8, 9. When these two connectors 8, 9 are required to be disconnected, a pressing portion 93 of the latch 91 is pressed downwardly and the hook of the latch 91 is separated from the corresponding portion of the male connector 8 to disconnect the two connectors 8, 9.

Paragraph [0006] beginning on page 2, at line 15, has been amended as follows:

[0006] Because the connector assembly is parallel to the inside surface of the roof of the vehicle, even under the normal ~~usage~~ usage, the pressing portion 93 of the latch 91 may be compressed by unexpected force to cause the latch 91 of the female connector 9 to be disconnected from the male connector 8, thereby adversely ~~affect~~ affecting an electrical connection between the connectors 8 and 9. Furthermore, due to the vibration of the vehicle, the above-mentioned condition may become even worse and the connectors 8 and 9 are disconnected permanently.

Paragraph [0016] beginning on page 4, at line 5, has been amended as follows:

[0016] FIG. 6 is a view showing the tie assembled to the female connector of FIG. 5; FIG. 4;

Paragraph [0022] beginning on page 4, at line 26, has been amended as follows:

[0022] Referring to FIG. 4, the female connector 1 comprises a dielectric housing 11, and a plurality of terminals 17 received in the housing 11. The terminals 17 are electrically connecting with a cable 12. The housing 11 has a latch 13 integrally formed on a top thereof. The latch 13 includes a support 16 integrally extending from the housing 11, a hook 15 formed on a front portion of the latch 13 and adapted for latching with a recess (not shown) of the male connector 2, and a pressing portion 14 formed on a rear portion of the latch 13. Before the tie 3 is assembled to the female connector 1, the pressing portion 14 can be pressed downwardly to actuate the hook 15 to ~~separated~~ separate from the recess of the male connector 2, whereby the female connector 1 can be disconnected from the male connector 2.

Paragraph [0023] beginning on page 5, at line 12, has been amended as follows:

[0023] Referring to FIGS. 5 and 6, the tie 3 is wrapped around the dielectric housing 11 of the female connector 1 with the main portion 31 extending through the locking portion 32 to secure the tie 3 on the female connector 1. The thickness of the main portion 31 is substantially equal to the height of the space between the pressing portion 14 of the latch 13 and a top surface 18 of the dielectric housing 11. Therefore, the main portion 31 of the tie 3 is sandwiched between the pressing portion 14 and the dielectric housing 11. When the pressing portion 14 is subject to a downward external force, the pressing portion 14 will not move downwardly and the hook 15 will not be actuated to separate from the recess of the male connector

2, thereby ensuring a reliable electrical and mechanical connection between the female connector 1 and the male connector 2. ~~Please continuing~~ Continuing to FIG. 7, when the two connectors 1, 2 are required to be disconnected from each other, the tie 3 is first broken away from the space between the pressing portion 14 of the latch 13 and a the top surface 18 of the dielectric housing 11, the pressing portion 14 ~~is~~ then can be pressed downwardly to allow the two connector 1, 2 to be separated from each other.

Paragraph [0024] beginning on page 6, at line 2, has been amended as follows:

[0024] Referring to FIGS. 8 and 9, a female connector 1' in accordance with a second embodiment of the present invention has a structure substantially the same as the female connector 1 of the first embodiment except that the dielectric housing 11 of the female connector 1' defines a pair of door-shaped frames 5 on a top surface 18 thereof for a moveable block 4 extending therethrough. The moveable block 4 includes an elongated main body 41 and a pull tab 42 at one end of the main body 41. The main body 41 is formed with a pair of ribs 43 on a top surface thereof. The main body 41 of the moveable block 4 passes through the pair of door-shaped frames 5 to be sandwiched between the pressing portion 14 and the dielectric housing 11. A thickness of the main body 41 is substantially equal to the height of the space between the pressing portion 14 and a top surface 18 of the dielectric housing 11. A hole (not labeled) of the frame 5 has a height slightly larger than the thickness of the main body 41 but slightly smaller than the thickness of the ribs 43, whereby the moveable block 4 successfully passes through the frames 5 and is retained below the pressing portion 14 via an interferential engagement between the ribs 43 and the frames 5. Thus, the moveable block 4 is securely kept in a position below the pressing portion 14 of the latch 13. When the female connector 1' is required to be disconnected from the male connector 2, an external force is exerted on the pull tab 42 to actuate the moveable block 4 to move rearwardly. The main body 41 is thus broken away from the space between the pressing portion 14 and

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the dielectric housing 11 to allow the pressing portion 14 to be downwardly pressed, thereby disengaging the female connector 1' from the male connector 2.

Paragraph [0026] beginning on page 7, at line 20, has been amended as follows:

[0026] It is noted that the two ribs 63 may have different heights, wherein one rib 63 which is adjacent to the lever 61 has a height smaller than that of another rib 63, thereby enhancing a reliable engagement between the clip 6 and the projecting ears 7.